

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hideki SATO Group Art Unit: 1792

Application No.: 10/594,458 Examiner: L. VINH

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For: METHOD FOR EVALUATING CRYSTAL DEFECTS OF SILICON WAFER

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the September 15, 2009 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.